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www.mass.gov/bizworks | 1-800-252-1591

Hiring and Recruiting

MassHire Career Centers

Employment-related services for businesses' needs

Contact: (617) 626-5300

www.mass.gov/careercenters

MassHire JobQuest

Online resource to post job openings

Contact: JobQuest Helpline - (617) 626-6571

www.mass.gov/jobquest/employers

MDCS - Work Opportunity Tax Credit (WOTC)

Tax credits for hiring targeted populations

Contact: (617) 626-5353

www.mass.gov/dcs/wotc

Massachusetts State Colleges and Universities

Talented graduates and contract training

www.mass.edu/system/campusdirectory.asp

Training and Workplace Safety

ACLS Workplace Education Programs

Workplace adult basic education (ABE)

English for speakers of other languages (ESOL)

<http://www.doe.mass.edu/acls>

Commonwealth Corporation -

Workforce Training Fund Program (WTFP)

Funding and resources to train current and new employees

Contact: (617) 727-8158

www.commcorp.org/wtftp

MDCS - On-the-Job Training (OJT) Program

Assistance with the cost of hiring and training new employees

Contact: A local career center: www.mass.gov/careercenters

www.mass.gov/dcs/ojt

Div. of Apprentice Standards (DAS) - Apprenticeship Programs

Apprenticeship programs available to businesses

Contact: (617) 626-5409

www.mass.gov/das

Dept. of Industrial Accidents (DIA) - Safety Grant Program

Funding for workplace safety training

Contact: (617) 727-4900

www.mass.gov/dia/safety

Dept. of Labor Standards (DLS) - OSHA Consultation Program

Free service to help private employers meet OSHA requirements

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Layoff Aversion and Management

MassHire Dept. of Career Services (MDCS) - Rapid Response

Assistance with layoffs/closings and access to skilled workers

Contact: (617) 626-5703

www.mass.gov/dcs/rapidresponse

Department of Unemployment Assistance (DUA) - UI Program

Temporary income and support for Massachusetts workers

Contact: Unemployment Insurance (UI) Unit - (617) 626-5075

www.mass.gov/dua

Dept. of Unemployment Assistance (DUA) - WorkShare Program

Layoff aversion - supplements reduced pay in slow periods

Contact: WorkShare Unit - (617) 626-6877 or email:

integration-dua-dcs@detma.org

www.mass.gov/dua/workshare

Business Development/Partnerships

Massachusetts Office of Business Development (MOBD)

Tax incentives to create jobs and stimulate business growth

Contact: (617) 973-8600

www.mass.gov/mobd

Mass Development

Finance and real estate development services

Contact: (800) 445-8030

www.massdevelopment.com

The MA Small Business Development Center (MSBDC) Network

Advising and training programs for businesses

Contact: (413) 545-6301

www.msbdc.org

Massachusetts Growth Capital Corporation (MGCC)

Working capital and loan guarantees

Contact: (617) 523-6262

www.massgcc.com

Operational Service Division (OSD)

Commerce between government and businesses

Contact: (617) 720-3300

www.mass.gov/osd

MassHire Workforce Development Boards

Partnerships and strategies to address workforce issues

www.mass.gov/lwd/eolwd/mwib/local-workforce-investment-boards-16.html



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External Resources (Non-State Affiliated)

MassMEP

Mentoring and training that help businesses grow and innovate

Contact: (508) 831-7020

www.massmep.org

Office of Federal Contract Compliance Programs (OFCCP)

Guidance for nondiscrimination compliance

Contact: (617) 624-6780

www.dol.gov/ofccp

U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA)

Assistance in starting, building, and growing businesses

Contact: (617) 565-5590

www.sba.gov

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